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of Sciences, to which society he had the honor of being elected a Fellow in 1913. In September, 1913, Mr. Sleight visited the east coast of Florida, collecting at several points from Jacksonville to Key West. At that time he was not in good health and was able to be afield but part of each day. Gradually he grew more feeble, and died at Ramsey, May 20, 1917.

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## MISCELLANEOUS NOTES.

**Records of Butterflies from Ft. Wadsworth, Staten Island, N. Y.—***Basilarchia ursula*, form *albofascinata* Newc. A female was collected, September 4, 1917. Two others have been recorded from Staten Island. See List of the Macrolepidoptera of Staten Island, N. Y., Proc. S. I. Assn. of Arts and Sciences, Vol. III, p. 5, and JOURNAL N. Y. ENT. SOC., Vol. XXIV, p. 93. *Libythea bachmani* Kirt., August 29, 1917. *Papilio cresphontes* Cram., August 26, 1917, and September 2, 1917. The last two species have also been recorded from Staten Island in the list above referred to, but following Dyar's list of 1902 the *Papilio* was there given as *thoas* L., *cresphontes* being at that time considered a synonym.—EDWARD J. BURNS.

***Cicindela abdominalis*** Fab.—On August 5, 1913, a single specimen of this tiger beetle was collected near Bald Hill, southwest of Riverhead, Long Island. On August 21, 1914, seven specimens were collected on a sand path that runs parallel to the Permic River on its southerly side. In August, 1917, no specimen could be found on the sand path, but two were taken near Great Pond, one on the road leading from Riverhead.—WM. T. DAVIS.

***Holcaspis centricola*** Osten Sacken.—From Farmingdale, Long Island, N. Y., Sept. 27, 1917. Found on post oak (*Quercus minor*). When fresh the gall is marked very beautifully with reddish spots. It has been reported from Washington, D. C., New Jersey and Indiana. We have found it on several occasions at Lakehurst, N. J., but never before in N. Y. State.—WM. T. DAVIS.

***Rhodites gracilis*** Ashm.—Collected on rose leaves at Litchfield, Conn., Aug. 25, 1917, by Louis B. Woodruff. This appears to be a rare gall and is figured by Beutenmuller in Bulletin Am. Mus. Nat. Hist., Vol. XXIII, p. 47, and Bull. Br. Ent. Soc., IX, pl. 5, fig. 10. It has been found at Evanston, Ill., and Toronto, Can., on species of *Rosa*. The gall flies were reared in May, 1870.—WM. T. DAVIS.